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FRIENDS OF THE LABORER.

John Swinton Shows Up the Hypocrisy of Mark Hanna and President McKinley.

And He Might Include Taylor, of Kentucky, and Catspaw Brown, of the Same Place.

John Swinton, the great friend of the laboring man, in communication in the World to-night has the following to say:

"This year the bogus 'friends of labor' are more noisy than usual on the eve of an election. They babble in favor of labor when they see it; sing songs to it, and give three cheers whenever they catch sight of it in overalls or carrying a shovel. They glory in its strength, style and beauty. They say that Adam was a laborer in the Bible. Tubal an ironworker and Noah a ship carpenter.

POLITICAL FRAUDS.

They declare that labor is the source of all wealth sometimes, or one of the sources of it all, and that the poor toiler ought to get enough wages to satisfy him. They warn the noble laborer to vote straight on their side and bring his fellow laborers to the polls with him.

Talk of bunko games, gold bricks, the panel game, artful dodgers, thimble riggers, decoy ducks, green goods hocus-pocus, prestidigitators, Wall

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street sharps and Mr. Brutgruderry of the Red Cow—why, these are all deserving of political praise when compared with the frauds who are now striding around as 'friends of labor.'

HYPOCRITICAL FRIENDS.

Mark Hanna has come out as a friend of labor; McKinley has stood up for labor every day during his recent anti-trust campaign for re-election.

You might be led to think that labor is the best thing out, the fattest cow in the pasture, the finest nag in the stable, the biggest frog in the puddle, the tallest giant in any Bowery museum.

Now, why do the political humbugs snivel about labor at this time. Because it has a vote; because it could send them all to Jericho.

Labor can tell what they will do after the coming election by looking at what they have done after other elections in which they flattered it as they are now flattering it. They will tell labor to 'get out,' will snub it, snigger at it and give it one in the solar plexus; they will scorn its appeals, vote against measures in its interest and pile on its burdens; they will sell it out to its enemies.

You never know what form of blood poison will follow constipation. Keep the liver clean by using DeWitt's Little Early Risers and you will avoid trouble. They are famous little pills for constipation, liver and bowel troubles.

For sale by F. C. DUERSON, Druggist.

Fifty Stories of the Far West.

The Rev. Cyrus Townsend Brady, author of 'For Love of Country' and 'For the Freedom of the Sea,' is writing his experiences and adventures as 'A Missionary in the Far West' for early publication in the Ladies' Home Journal. Mr. Brady was stationed in the far West for eight years as a missionary. In that time he had some most stirring and exciting and often humorous experiences, and fifty of the most thrilling and unusual of these he will relate in a series of articles. He has never before told these experiences. He will do so now. They will have to do with encounters with cyclones, and blizzards, prairie fires, unusual weddings, funerals and baptisms.

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Judge Roberts Insane.

Judge F. H. Roberts, formerly Gov. Bradley's private secretary, was adjudged of unsound mind in the Circuit Court at Owensboro and ordered to the Hopkinsville insane asylum. He is city Judge of Owensboro. He was married last week to Miss Lizzie Dowling, of Frankfort.

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DO YOU WANT THE TRUSTS?

The almost unlimited power of the railroads when combined is soon to be shown in a general increase in rates on eastbound grain. This raise will soon be followed by similar advances on dressed meats, packing house products and live stock.

A few months ago the beef trust advanced the price of meat to an outrageous figure. The elevator trust advanced the price of wheat and the milling trust advanced the price of flour. Thus the baker was forced to advance the price of bread.

It was a scramble on the part of the trusts to see which could get its hands deepest in the pockets of the prosperous people.

The railroads, the kings of all combinations, were not slow to take advantage of the general system of robbery.

Increasing freight charges on packing house and mill products will have the effect of raising the retail prices.

In this fashion the general prosperity of the country is being drained off into the pockets of men who are in no sense responsible for it.

It is an easy matter for these bloated drones, with the unlimited power of the railroads behind them, to put a tax upon the people that would make the Dingley war tax look like an humble subscription for the heathen. —New York Journal.

General Lee and His Fruitful Hen.

It was General Lee's custom to leave his tent door open in the morning for a sprightly hen that had gone into the egg business promptly and had thus saved her head. When she stepped in, General Lee would put aside his work and walk post deferentially upon the outside until her cackle announced the mysteries of eggs laying at an end. She roosted and rode in his wagon. was an eyewitness of the battles of Chancellorsville and Gettysburg, and was finally sacrificed upon the altar of hospitality at Orange Court House, in 1864. —November Ladies' Home Journal.

Bishop Doane in an address before the Protestant Episcopal Missionary Council, in session at St. Louis, comes out squarely in support of the Administration's Philippine policy.

The Boer as Pictured by Mark Twain.

"He is deeply religious, profoundly ignorant, dull, obstinate, bigoted, uncleanly in his habits, hospitable, honest in his dealings with the whites, a hard master to his black servant, lazy, good shot, good horseman, addicted to the chase, a lover of political independence, a good husband and father, not fond of herding together in towns out liking the seclusion and remoteness and solitude and empty vastness and silence of the veldt; a man of mighty appetite, and not delicate with what he appeases it with; we satisfied with pork and Indian corn and biltong, requiring only that the quantity shall not be stinted; willing to ride a long journey to take a hand in a rude all-night dance, interspersed with vigorous feeding and boisterous jollity, but ready to ride twice as far for a prayer-meeting; proud of his Dutch and Huguenot origin and its religious and military history; proud of his race's achievements in South Africa, its bold plunges into hostile and uncharted deserts in search of free solitude, untroubled by the pestering and detested English, also its victories over the natives and British; proudest of all of the direct and effusive personal interest which the Deity has always taken in its affairs. He can not read, he can not write; he has one or two newspapers, but he is, apparently, not aware of it; until lately, he had no schools and taught his children nothing; news is a term which has no meaning to him, and the thing itself he cares nothing about. He hates to be taxed, and resents it. He has stood stock-still in South Africa for two centuries and a half, and would like to stand still till the end of time, for he has no sympathy with Utilitarian notions of progress. He is hungry to be rich, for he is human; but his preference has been for riches in cattle, not in fine clothes and fine horses and gold and diamonds. The gold and diamonds have brought the godless stranger within his gates, also contamination and broken repose, and he wishes they had never been discovered.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Charles H. Fletcher*

Sovereignty Over the Philippines.

A Washington dispatch says: "Prompt declaration by Congress in favor of asserting and maintaining complete sovereignty over the Philippines, at whatever cost and in favor of the most liberal kind of self government when the insurrection ends, is what the President wants. It is also what the Philippine Commissioners want."

REPUBLICAN.

Hanna Bosses Republicans and Republicans Would Rule

Though They

Ruin.

A FEW OF HANNA'S KERNELS.

As He Is, So Is His Party.

"No man in public office owes the public anything."

"We know our business."

"Do I look as though I wear horns?"

"I am against all combinations of capital which work to the disadvantage of the people."

"Bryan will not make much of an impression on the voters in this State if I can get the last talk with those who have listened to him."

"We carried every county in which I addressed the voters."

"The English Government is as good as ours."

"Large combinations of capital have existed for over 200 years in England."

"The great commercial success of England has been due to those same trusts."

"These combinations known as trusts are not a political question at all. They are simply and purely a business question."

"The trusts have the best men in the country at their head. I believe in their organization."

"I think the trusts will result beneficially to the men who work in factories."

"What harm can these trusts do the people of this country?"

"The formation of trusts is a step forward."

"They are not intended to increase profits, but to reduce cost."

"Trusts! There's no such thing."

"The story that I have defended trusts in any of my speeches is absolutely false."

"The combination of corporations is simply the evolution of business. I don't know of a trust in the United States."

"I say they are not trusts. If they are, prove it."

"There is not a trust left in the United States. There never were more than about a half-dozen, and they all have been dissolved and converted into large corporations."

"I am not defending trusts, nor am I repudiating a single word or phrase in the Republican platform."

"Before I came out here I was told that I would find a lot of hoodlums. Now I believe it!" —Comments on a meeting of Cleveland workingmen.

"Go outside and soak your head." —A clever epigram aimed at a workman who asked him a question.

Geo. Noland, Rockland, O., says, "My wife had piles forty years. De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve cured her. It is the best salve in America." It heals everything and cures all skin diseases.

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Now that Goebel has been advertised as a monster, many a Louisville voter will turn out to scoff and remain at his speakings and praise him. Such a rabid and unreasoning villification as the corporation classes have poured out upon this able, clean and unflinching champion of the masses is now redounding to his advantage in rallying to his support "the plain people," who love justice and are ever ready to right a wrong. —Times.

Dr. H. H. Haden, Summit, Ala., says, "I think Kodol Dyspepsia Cure is a splendid medicine. I prescribe it and my confidence in it grows with continued use." It digests what you eat and quickly cures dyspepsia and indigestion.

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